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Applicant:

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Compositions Containing Bacteriophages And Methods of Using

Bacteriophages To Treat Infections

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to a final office action dated May 28, 2004, concerning the above-referenced patent application. By virtue of the accompanying petition and payment of extension fees, the present deadline for response is November 28, 2004. While no other fees are believed due, the PTO is authorized to invoice account No. 190741 for any charges deemed necessary.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 15 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows.

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